Beggar problem.

11. **Mr. M. S. Anirudhan :** Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are aware of the beggar problem in the State?

Rao Bahadur Rajyasevanirata Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: Yes

Proclamation re appointment of relatives of officers.

12. **Mr. M. S. Anirudhan :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*b*) whether they are aware of the Proclamation relating to the appointment of officers' relations, issued on the 10th of Kanni 1050 and republished under Government Notification No. G. 3684, dated the 31st May 1908 ; and

(*b*) whether the above-said Proclamation of 1050 is still in force ?

Rao Bahadur Rajyasevanirata Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai : (*a*) and (*b*) The answers are in the affirmative.

Instances of violation of the Proclamation, dated the 10th Kanni 1050.

13. **Mr. M. S. Anirudhan :** Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table ;

(*a*) a copy of the Proclamation issued on the 10th Kanni 1050 ;

(*b*) a statement, by caste, showing the instances of appointments made in violation of the above-said Proclamation of 10th Kanni 1050 ; and

(*c*) a statement showing the names of officers in the Secretariat and Account Office whose relations have been appointed in violation of the Proclamation of 10th Kanni 1050 ?

Rao Bahadur Rajyasevanirata Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai : (*a*) A copy* of the Proclamation is placed on the table.

(*b*) and (*c*) It is not possible to furnish the information as the member has not specified the period for which the information is required.

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